PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 02734.0492-00000

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Galyn A. SCHULZ	) Group Art Unit: 1731
Application No.: 10/775,252	) Examiner: Eric J. HUG
Filed: February 11, 2004	)
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DEGRADING A WEB IN THE MACHINE DIRECTION WHILE PRESERVING CROSS-MACHINE DIRECTION STRENGTH	Confirmation No.: 1102 ) ) )

## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

VIA EFS-Web

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a one (1) month extension of time to reply to the Office Action dated August 24, 2006. The fee of \$120.00 is provided by the EFS-RAM system.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 24, 2006

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